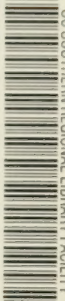


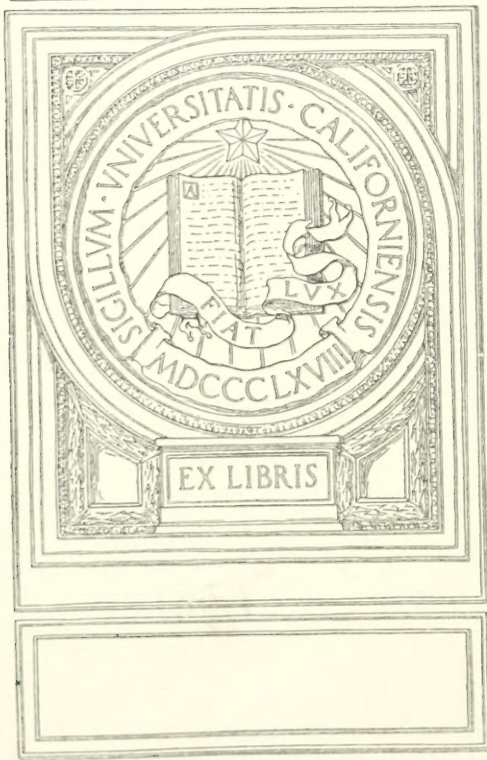
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THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,

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IN RESPONSE TO THE RESOLUTION OF THE HOUSE, REPORTS
OF COLLECTORS OF CUSTOMS AS TO NAMES OF IMPORTERS OF
GOODS FROM PORTO RICO.

APRIL 12, 1900.—Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered to be
printed.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
Washington, D. C., April 11, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to inclose herewith reports from the collectors of customs at Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and New Orleans, in accordance with the request contained in the resolution of the House of Representatives of April 2, 1900, calling for the names of persons, firms, and corporations who, from time to time, have paid customs duties on goods and articles of every description which have entered the United States from Porto Rico since the treaty with Spain, with the articles and amounts paid by each and the dates of such payments.

Respectfully,

L. J. GAGE,
Secretary.

The SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, D. C.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS,
Boston, Mass., April 6, 1900.

SIR: In reply to Department letter of the 4th instant, requesting information regarding importations from Porto Rico since the treaty

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with Spain, in accordance with resolution of Congress, I beg leave to submit the following statement, viz:

Ware-house bond No.	Importer.	Date of importation.	Merchandise.	Duties paid on with-drawals.	Date of payment.	Duties unpaid, merchandise still in bond.
6385	A. S. Lascelles & Co	Apr. 17, 1899	Sugar.....	\$927.30	Apr. 27, 1899	.....
				843.00	May 1, 1899	.....
				252.90	May 3, 1899	.....
				1,878.60	May 12, 1899	.....
6438	.....do.....	Apr. 25, 1899	Molasses..	234.00	May 5, 1899	.....
				108.36	May 6, 1899	.....
				195.00	May 9, 1899	.....
				195.00	May 23, 1899	.....
				78.00	May 24, 1899	.....
				136.50	May 31, 1899	.....
				81.00	Sept. 7, 1899	.....
				195.00	Nov. 13, 1899	.....
				579.66	Feb. 19, 1900	.....
6492	W. S. Swan & Co	May 1, 1899	.....do....	954.00	May 9, 1899	.....
				163.50	May 31, 1899	.....
				60.00	Aug. 18, 1899	.....
				200.01	Nov. 3, 1899	.....
				200.01	Nov. 27, 1899	.....
				708.54	Dec. 18, 1899	.....
6516	E. H. Newhall	May 6, 1899	Sugar.....	9,335.76	May 9, 1899	.....
				4,748.90	May 10, 1899	.....
				4,748.90	May 12, 1899	.....
				4,007.31	May 18, 1899	.....
6528	A. S. Lascelles & Co	May 8, 1899	.....do....	9,953.39	May 11, 1899	.....
6553	Boston Molasses Co	May 13, 1899	Molasses..	170.49	May 20, 1899	.....
				2,025.54	May 22, 1899	.....
717	Whitney, Pousland & Co....	June 23, 1899	Sugar.....			5,798.56
141	A. S. Lascelles & Co.....	July 28, 1899	Molasses..	153.93	Oct. 24, 1899	.....
				1,337.97	Nov. 16, 1899	.....
184	Whitney, Pousland and Co..	Aug. 3, 1899	Sugar.....	155.21	Sept. 20, 1899	4,689.42
252	A. S. Lascelles & Co	Aug. 15, 1899	.....do....	2,708.82	Aug. 16, 1899	.....
312	G. Preston.....	Aug. 25, 1899	.....do....	2,964.56	Aug. 29, 1899	.....
				112.50	Sept. 25, 1899	.....
				117.00	Mar. 2, 1900	.....
				7.80	Apr. 5, 1900	.....
681	Ames Pearson Tobacco Co..	Oct. 2, 1899	Cigars	466.91	Nov. 9, 1899	.....
				132.56	Nov. 15, 1899	661.70
1583	.....do.....	Mar. 5, 1900	.....do....			429.75
Consumption entry No.						
10392	G. Preston.....	May 13, 1899	Oranges ..	.50		.....
			Molasses..	1.86	May 31, 1899	.....
11899	W. N. Proctor & Co	June 19, 1899	.....do....	107.07	June 21, 1899	.....
7747	Boston Molasses Co	Apr. 26, 1899	.....do....	1,849.56	July 27, 1899	.....
7086	.....do.....	Apr. 17, 1899	.....do....	1,543.29	Apr. 18, 1899	.....
9170	.....do.....	May 15, 1899	.....do....	2,632.41	May 15, 1899	.....

¹ Drawback on articles manufactured \$3,319.12.

² All in bond April 6, 1900.

making the total amount received for duties, less drawback allowance, \$53,952.50, and duties due on merchandise still remaining in bond \$11,579.43.

Very respectfully, yours,

J. M. FISKE, *for Collector.*

HON. LYMAN J. GAGE,

Secretary of the Treasury, Washington, D. C.

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IMPORTERS OF GOODS FROM PORTO RICO.

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OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS,
New York, N. Y., April 10, 1900.

SIR: As requested in your communication of the 4th instant, I transmit herewith abstract of imports from Porto Rico into the port of New York from February 1, 1899, to April 1, 1900, giving such information as can be compiled from the records of this office.

Respectfully,

J. J. COUCH,
Special Deputy Collector.

The SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,
Washington, D. C.

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IMPORTERS OF GOODS FROM PORTO RICO.

Abstract of imports from Porto Rico into the port of New York from February 1, 1899, to April 1, 1900—Continued.

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Mar. 6	Caracas.	McCormick & Hubbs.....	68 packages oranges.....	113.81do.....	Free.
		H. W. Peabody & Co.....	200 hides.....	53.85do.....	Do.
Mar. 22	Philadelphia	W. E. Phillips & Son.....	119 barrels oranges.....	194.25	.....do.....	Do.
		F. Bonilla.....	22 bags annatto seed.....			Do.
Apr. 1	Rebecca R. Douglass	G. Amsnick & Co.....	315 bags coffee.....			Do.
		H. Beste.....	5 bags coffee.....			Do.
Apr. 10	Evelyn	De Solo, Lobo & Co.....	4 packages old copper.....			Do.
		W. H. Force & Co.....	87 bags coffee.....			Do.
Apr. 10	Evelyn	Flint, Eddy & Co.....	25 bags coffee.....			Do.
		F. H. Leggett & Co.....	10 bags coffee.....			Do.
Apr. 10	Evelyn	G. A. Jahn & Co.....	250 bags coffee.....			Do.
		G. A. Lascelles & Co.....	247 bags coffee.....			Do.
Apr. 10	Evelyn	Mosie Bros.....	167 packages annatto.....			Do.
		Joaquin Menendez & Co.....	5 packages tamarinds.....			Do.
Apr. 10	Evelyn	Austin Nichols & Co.....	56 bags annatto seed.....			Do.
		Porto Rico Realty Trading Im- provement Co.....	30 bags coffee.....			Do.
Apr. 10	Evelyn	E. Saniz.....	4 bags annatto seed.....			Do.
		A. Stump.....	4 bags coffee.....			Do.
Apr. 10	Evelyn	A. M. Seixas.....	55 sacks cocoanuts.....			Do.
		Bowring & Archibald.....	10 bags coffee.....			Do.
Apr. 10	Evelyn	M. W. Harrington.....	50 bags coffee.....			Do.
		J. Fischer.....	25 bags annatto.....			Do.
Apr. 10	Evelyn	A. Otter.....	50 bales tobacco.....			Do.
		W. E. Phelps & Co.....	1 box cigars.....	5.60	Mar. 8, 1899	Immediate transportation. In warehouse unclaimed.
Apr. 10	Evelyn	Passengers.....	1 box lace.....	4.00	do 7, 1899	
		The American Sugar Refining Co.....	2 bags beans.....	2.55	do	
Apr. 10	Evelyn	N. Kronmann.....	87 bags cocoanuts.....			Free.
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.....	2 packages merchandise.....	7.25	Mar. 24, 1899	
Apr. 10	Evelyn	W. H. Force & Co.....	475 packages sugar.....	9,997.85	Mar. 23, 1899	
		G. A. Jahn & Co.....	117 barrels oranges.....	184.20	do	
Apr. 10	Evelyn	M. de Magalhães & Son.....	735 bags sugar.....	2,901.69	Mar. 23, 1899	
		A. M. Seixas.....	45 bags coffee.....			Free.
Apr. 10	Evelyn	H. Beste.....	340 bags coffee.....			Do.
		A. Stump.....	21 packages annatto seed.....			Do.
Apr. 10	Evelyn	Flint, Eddy & Co.....	31 bags coffee.....			Do.
		J. Sala & Co.....	45 bags coffee.....			Do.
Apr. 10	Evelyn	The American Sugar Refining Co.....	4,917 bags sugar.....	20,370.34	Apr. 3, 1899	
		H. W. Peabody & Co.....	38 bags coffee.....			Do.
Apr. 10	Evelyn	W. E. Phillips & Co.....	37 bags coffee.....			Do.
			200 bags coffee.....			Do.
Apr. 10	Evelyn		1 bale coffee.....			Do.
			80 bags coffee.....			Do.
Apr. 10	Evelyn		16 bags coffee.....			Do.
			585 hogheads sugar, 9,185 bags sugar.....	49,168.01	Apr. 11, 1899	
Apr. 10	Evelyn		343 hides.....	121.80	do	
			56 barrels oranges.....	81.75	Apr. 10, 1899	

* Estimated.

Abstract of imports from Porto Rico into the port of New York from February 1, 1899, to April 1, 1900—Continued.

Arrival.	Vessel.	Importer.	Description of goods.	Duties.	Dates of payments.	Remarks.
1899.						
Apr. 10	Evelyn	A. S. Lascelles & Co.	1,376 packages sugar	\$13,727.27	Apr. 12, 1899	Goods warehoused.
		J. H. Goetz & Co.	219 packages tobacco	*8,560.36		Free.
Apr. 16	San Marcos	H. Beste	53 bags coffee			
		The American Sugar Refining Co.	1,073 packages sugar	21,716.32	Apr. 18, 1899	
		John Farr	280 packages sugar	1,144.66	do	
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	3,637 packages sugar	16,929.69		
		W. E. Phillips & Son	3,610 packages sugar	20,764.84	Apr. 18, 1899	
		A. M. Selxas	4 barrels grape fruit	6.30	Apr. 13, 1899	
		Lawrence, Turnure & Co.	675 packages sugar	5,083.58	Apr. 18, 1899	
		H. Beste	299 packages sugar	1,706.25	Apr. 19, 1899	
		Flint, Eddy & Co.	400 packages sugar	*1,892.81		Goods warehoused.
		Levi Blumenfel & Co.	6 bales tobacco	*215.60		Do.
		Cuban and Pan-American Ex. Co.	31 bales tobacco	*1,541.09		Do.
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	1 case sirup			Exported.
			45 bags annatto			Free.
			1 case			Do.
Apr. 21	Emma Knowlton	J. B. Coombs	1 bag coffee			Do.
		B. H. Howell, Son & Co.	5,014 bags sugar	19,493.51	Apr. 24, 1899	
Apr. 27	Myrtledene	Flint, Eddy & Co.	76 bags coffee			Do.
		H. Mallard	6 bags coffee			Do.
		The American Sugar Refining Co.	8,690 packages sugar	45,984.76	Apr. 28, 1899	
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	5,585 packages sugar	43,251.20	Apr. 29, 1899	
		Lawrence, Turnure & Co.	4,731 packages sugar	17,895.96	do	
		Mosle Bros	318 packages sugar	1,273.87	Apr. 28, 1899	
		C. B. Rous	500 packages sugar	1,935.81	do	
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	6 packages clothing	52.00	Aug. 2, 1899	
		The American Sugar Refinery Co.	44 bags coffee			Do.
		W. H. Force & Co.	4,255 bags sugar	15,934.04	Apr. 28, 1899	
Apr. 19	Lillian Woodruff Philadelphia	Cuban and Pan-American Ex. Co.	353 bags coffee			Do.
			1 case coffee			Do.
			1 package effects	2.35	May 13, 1899	
			1 package swords	70	May 16, 1899	
			1 package currys	50	do	
			1 package shawls	1.27	May 8, 1899	
		W. E. Phillips & Son	365 packages fruit, bay rum, etc.	427.68	Apr. 20, 1899	
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	2,480 packages sugar	8,618.25	do	
		N. Krommann	172 barrels oranges	273.33	Apr. 22, 1899	
			123 packages pineapples	18.27	do	
		E. J. Thayer	32 cases oranges	20.76	Apr. 20, 1899	
			5 boxes pines	70	do	
		H. Beste	200 bags sugar	837.55	Apr. 4, 1899	
		B. Howell, Son & Co.	699 bags sugar	2,640.52	Apr. 6, 1899	
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	464 packages sugar	3,179.97	do	
Apr. 4	Caracas	Mosle Bros	350 packages sugar	*1,442.24		Goods warehoused.

			2, 10	Apr. 26, 1899	
Apr. 12 May 2	Arthur B. Smith. Arkadia	Cuban and Pan-American Ex. Co.	1 box curios	Free.	
		do	1 case botanical specimens	Do.	
		do	1 case tamarinds	Do.	
		G. W. Pearson	53 bags coconuts	Do.	
		Jed, Frye & Co.	102,500 coconuts	Do.	
		Flint, Eddy & Co.	8 cases stamps, 3 bags annatto seed	Free; American goods returned.	
		D. Putney & Co.	50 empty beer barrels	Free.	
		J. Eyard	1 package		
		The American Sugar Refining Co.	11,305 packages sugar	May 3, 1899	
		Czarnikow & McDougall, Ltd	425 packages sugar	do	
May 12	Evelyn	John Farr	794 packages sugar	May 4, 1899	
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	280 packages sugar	do	
		Lawrence Turnure & Co.	1,341.00	do	
		H. Beste	66 packages sugar	225.70	
		do	3 packages in P. S.	16.50	
		Cuban and Pan American Ex. Co.	1 case containing snuke		
		D. Putney & Co.	121 empty beer barrels	Do.	
		F. H. Leggett & Co.	1 cask bay rum, 3 cases honey	Free; American goods returned.	
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	59 packages sugar	May 13, 1899	
		do	1,670 packages sugar	May 15, 1899	
May 15	Navarino	Lawrence Turnure & Co.	46,755.50	do	
		The American Sugar Refining Co.	2,092.30	May 13, 1899	
		J. W. Roche	3,805.21	do	
		Cuban and Pan American Ex. Co.	3 cases bay oil, 15 barrels bay rum.		
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	1 trunk	May 31, 1899	
		do	1,963 bags sugar	May 15, 1899	
		do	332 packages molasses		
		B. Howell, Son & Co	2,844 packages sugar	June 1, 1899	
		The American Sugar Refining Co.	799 packages sugar	do	
		H. Beste	1,444 packages sugar	May 23, 1899	
May 31	Annie E. Rickerson Abbie G. Cole San Marcos	A. S. Lascelles & Co.	139 packages sugar	do	
		H. W. Peabody & Co.	1,977 packages sugar	May 24, 1899	
		Levi Blumenthal & Co	564 hides	do	
		A. M. Sedixas	37 packages tobacco	Do.	
		W. C. Phillips	27 packages tobacco	Do.	
		do	1 case bay rum	May 23, 1899	
		F. C. Pratt	5 pieces timber	Exported.	
		D. Putney & Co.	50 bags coffee	Free.	
		Crandall & Godley Co	60 empty beer barrels	Free. American goods returned.	
		F. H. Leggett & Co.	15 empty gas tubes	Do.	
May 11 May 2	Mildred Carriens	W. C. Phillips	46 bags coffee	Free.	
		Cuban and Pan American Ex. Co.	45 bags coconuts	Do.	
		Jose M. Menendez	1 case blankets	Free. American goods returned.	
		Cuban and Pan American Ex. Co.	1 case druggist sundries	Do.	
		Walker & Gallup	1 trunk effects	Free.	
		Durlach & Springer	7 bags coffee	Do.	
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	11 bags coffee	May 31, 1899	
		Amernum & Patterson	697 packages sugar	May 3, 1899	
		W. H. Phillips & Son.	53 barrels oranges	do	
		Scott & Bigelow	54 barrels oranges and pines	do	
May 22	San Marcos	F. R. Warley	150 packages oranges and pines	116.4	
		Czarnikow, McDougall & Co	37 packages oranges	55.28	
		do	2,400 packages sugar	8,792.41	

* Estimated.

June 24	Lillian Woodruff	do	1 barrel pines			Do.
		Burlington, Bliss & Pallet	1 package currency			Do.
		G. Amsnick & Co.	69 bags coffee			Do.
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	184 bags coffee			Do.
		do	1,000 packages coffee			Do.
		J. H. Goetze	4,100 packages sugar	\$16,666.41		Goods warehoused.
June 5	Bravo	W. W. Tussig & Co.	50 packages tobacco	*1,618.05		Do.
June 6	Helen Montague	The American Sugar Refining Co.	265 packages molasses	*483.82	June 8, 1899	Do.
June 5	Arkadia	A. S. Lascelles & Co.	5,491 packages sugar	22,372.39	June 6, 1899	Do.
		The American Sugar Refining Co.	1,075 packages sugar	22,768.69	do	
		H. W. Peabody & Co.	1,487 packages sugar	31,021.92		
		W. E. Phillips & Son	259 hides	*79.20		Do.
		De Solo, Lobo & Co.	25 cases bay rum	*188.85		Do.
		do	1 case shoes	2.75	June 28, 1899	
		Cuban and Pan-American Ex. Co.	1 box samples	1.15	June 21, 1899	
		Crandall & Godley Co.	1 package tobacco	2.45	June 27, 1899	
		De Solo, Lobo & Co.	25 empty gas tubes			Free; American goods returned.
		do	32 empty beer kegs			Do.
		Jose Menendez & Co.	1 bag annatto seed			Free; American goods returned.
		W. E. Phillips & Son	1 machine			Free.
		do	107 bags cocoanuts			Do.
		Hidelfonso Watlington	6 packages tamarinds			Exported to Liverpool.
		W. O. Smith & Co.	2 packages effects			Free; American goods returned.
		Dunlacht & Springer	2 packages metal			Do.
		do	14 packages fiber			Do.
		H. Beste	1 bag coffee			Do.
		I. C. White & Co.	1 sack			In warehouse unclaimed.
		H. C. Mapes	1 barrel			Do.
		Liquid Carbonic Acid Manufacturing Co.	3 empty cylinders			Free; American goods returned.
June 13	Philadelphia	A. S. Lascelles & Co.	40 packages coffee			Free.
		I. W. Wuppermann	1 machine			Free; American goods returned.
		Cuban and Pan-American Ex. Co.	1 package effects			Do.
		do	1 box, 1 crate			Immediate transportation.
		do	1 package effects	7.22	June 29, 1899	
		do	1 package tobacco	10.18	June 27, 1899	
		De Solo, Lobo & Co.	1 package liquor	1.15	June 29, 1899	
June 15	Evelyn	Order	2 boxes cigars			In warehouse unclaimed.
		H. Beste	100 packages sugar	2,006.02	June 16, 1899	
		Lawrence Turner & Co.	200 packages sugar	2,883.97	do	
		D. A. De Lima & Co.	1,266 packages sugar	5,452.61	do	
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	1,735 packages sugar	7,096.37	June 17, 1899	
		The American Sugar Refining Co.	5,796 packages sugar	38,011.59	June 16, 1899	
		Park & Tilford	73 packages bay rum	*4,418.46		
		Cuban and Pan-American Ex. Co.	10 packages spring water			Goods warehoused.
		Amerman & Paterson	31 bags coffee			Immediate transportation.
		A. Sala & Co.	18 bags coffee			Free.
		S. S. Klein	51 packages old copper			Do.
		do	73 packages cocoanuts			Do.
		H. Beste	200 packages cocoanuts			Do.

* Estimated.

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Cuban and Pan American Ex. Co.	1 package shells.....		Free.
do	1 package ethics.....		Do.
do	1 package shells.....		In warehouse unclaimed.
do	2 packages effects.....		Do.
do	21 pieces wood.....		Free.
Durlacher & Springer.	1 package coffee.....		Do.
Levi Blumenthal & Co	12 packages glue stock.....		Do.
De Solo Lobo & Co	7 packages coffee.....		Do.
J. A. Low.....	1 package coffee.....		Do.
Levi Blumenthal & Co	3 packages coffee.....		Do.
W. T. Magree & Co	40 empty beer barrels.....		Free; American goods returned.
D. Putney & Co.....	51 bags cocoanuts.....		Free.
W. E. Phillips & Son.....	4 bags cassia.....		Do.
Sussdorf, Gaidte & Co.....	22 bags cocoanuts.....		Do.
A. M. Seixas.....	20 bags coffee.....		Do.
H. H. Walker.....	60 bags coffee.....		Do.
H. Beste.....	13,175 cocoanuts.....		Do.
do	7 packages satinwood.....		Goods warehoused.
do	2,354 packages sugar.....	# 11, 027.69	
A. S. Lascuelles & Co.....	1 package oranges.....	1.00	
Wm. Rockstroh & Co.....	16 packages tobacco.....	800.63	
Cuban and Pan-American Ex. Co.	1 package straw hats.....	70	
do	1 package sundries.....		Free; American goods returned.
do	2 packages coffee.....		Free.
Boulton, Bliss & Dallet.....	2 packages specie.....		Do.
J. M. Ceballos & Co.....	9 packages asphalt.....		Do.
A. S. Lascuelles & Co.....	35 packages coffee.....		Do.
L. W. & P. Armstrong.....	5,149 packages sugar.....	20,719.79	
The American Sugar Refining Co.	1,916 packages sugar.....	5,628.40	
The New York Sugar Refining Co.	1,826 packages sugar.....	22,520.59	
Wm. Rockstroh & Co.....	12 bales tobacco.....	*1,001.92	
Durlach & Springer.....	4 packages herbs etc.....	2.21	
G. Amsinck & Co.....	3,039 packages sugar.....	13,094.93	
H. Beste.....	13 packages sugar.....	44.86	
A. S. Lascuelles & Co.....	1,024 packages sugar.....	20,603.37	
Melchor, Armstrong & Dessan.....	79 packages sugar.....	1,719.96	
The American Sugar Refining Co.	2,734 packages sugar.....	22,426.45	
De Solo, Lobo & Co.....	18 packages tobacco.....	*727.65	
Flint, Eddy & Co.....	do.....	*744.10	
Levi Blumenthal & Co.....	139 packages tobacco.....	*5,792.65	
A. M. Seixas.....	18 packages tobacco.....	*804.65	
Cuban and Pan-American Ex. Co.	1 barrel manufactured wood.....	1.05	
do	3 packages effects.....		Free; American goods returned.
do	1 package samples.....		Free.
do	2 packages effects and manufac- tured glass.....		Free; American goods returned.
W. A. Hubh.....	1 package samples.....		Free.
L. W. & P. Armstrong & Co.....	1 package shells.....		Do.
De Solo, Lobo & Co.....	do.....		Do.
M. de Magalhães & Son.....	6 packages coffee.....		Do.
Joaquin Menendez & Co.....	10 packages coffee.....		Do.
June 27	Adeline T. Carleton.....		
July 31	Carcass.....		
July 14	Jennie Hall.....		
July 17	Salamanca.....		
July 27	San Marcos.....		

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Abstract of imports from Porto Rico into the port of New York from February 1, 1899, to April 1, 1900—Continued.

Arrival.	Vessel.	Importer.	Description of goods.	Duties.	Dates of payment.	Remarks.
1899						
July 27	San Marcos.....	D. Putney & Co., The American Sugar Refining Co.	20 packages cocoanuts. 40 empty beer barrels.		July 18, 1899	Free. Free; American goods returned.
July 13	Evelyn.....	H. W. Seely & Co.	7,700 packages sugar.	\$41 848 10	July 17, 1899	Exported.
		A. M. Soixas	25 bales tobacco.	120 90		Free; American goods returned.
July 3	Annie Lael..	Williams & Co.	3 packages coffee.		July 6, 1899	
July 3	Arkadia.....	Williams & Co.	3,200 packages sugar.	14,506 50		
		Williams & Co.	1,000 packages sugar.	4,424 47		
		Williams & Co.	33 packages oilseed.	8 12		
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	23 packages pineapples.	17 00 98		
		Lawrence, Fournier & Co.	165 packages sugar.	609 16	July 7, 1899	
		A. A. Vatable & Son.	1,000 packages sugar.	8 75 19	July 6, 1899	
		A. M. Soixas	4 bales tobacco.			Goods warehoused
		H. Bessan	100 bales coffee.	\$2,566 40		Free.
		Flint, Eddy & Co.	3 barrels pork.			Free; American goods returned.
		Messier, Armand & Bessan	80 packages cocoanuts.			Free.
		D. Putney & Co.	40 empty beer barrels.			Free; American goods returned.
		A. M. Soixas	3 packages crude beeswax.			Free.
		J. P. Ewald	1 package for baby's yard.			Do.
		J. Ewald	1 package samples.			Do.
		Cuban and Pan-American Ex. Co.	1 package effects.			Do.
			1 package merchandise.			Free; American goods returned.
			1 package oranges.			Free.
July 11	Philadelphia.....	The Whittman & Barnes Manufacturing Co.	1 package specie.			Do.
		Boulton, Biss & Jallott	do.			Do.
		C. A. Polgado	6 packages machinery.	\$88 87	July 12, 1899	In warehouse.
		Ortiz	5 packages bay rum.	2,502 47	July 20, 1899	
		J. M. Ceballos & Co.	119 packages sugar.	\$9,250 34		Goods warehoused
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	3,063 packages sugar.	4,843 32	Aug. 4, 1899	
		do.	1,152 packages sugar.	8,970 18	Aug. 7, 1899	
July 15	Carrie A. Beckman.....	Gustave Fréchet	233 packages sugar.	5,520 93	Aug. 4, 1899	
July 29	Julia Francis.....	A. S. Lascelles & Co.	88 casks molasses.	\$300 72		Do.
Aug. 4	Arkadia.....	The American Sugar Refining Co.	29 bales tobacco.			In warehouse, unclaimed.
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	14 packages old brass and copper.			Free.
		Montre Commercial Agency	80 bags pineapple plants.			Do.
		R. Fabian & Co.	19 barrels white beans.			Do.
		J. H. Mallory & Co.	46 bags coffee.			Do.
		Joaquin Menéndez & Co.	1 package cheese.			Do.
		M. de Magalhães & Son.	8 packages cocoanuts.			Do.
		do.	100 packages cocoanuts.			Do.
		Wells, Fargo & Co.	1 package cheese.			
		A. S. Lascelles & Co.	29 packages tobacco.	1 25	Aug. 21, 1899	Goods warehoused.
1 0	Evelyn.....	J. M. Ceballos & Co.		\$677 25		
		Cullman Bros				

	Lewis Sylvester & Son.....	64 bales tobacco.....	\$2,171.75		Goods warehoused.
	Mosie Bros.....	5 bales tobacco.....	363.85	do	Do.
	Hertz Bros.....	1 box tobacco.....			Exported.
	M. Perez & Co.....	9 bales tobacco.....			Free.
	De Solo Lobo & Co.....	1 hoghead old copper.....			Do.
	H. W. Peabody & Co.....	1 box gold dust.....			Do.
	F. & J. Meyer.....	22 packages crude ginger.....			Free in warehouse.
	Order.....	31 packages crude ginger.....			Do.
	J. O. Minosi.....	10 packages guava.....	9.75	Nov. 24, 1899	
	H. W. Peabody & Co.....	367 hides.....	105.45	do	
	Levi Blumenthal & Co.....	243 bales tobacco.....	*8,362.02		Goods warehoused.
	Jose Menendez & Co.....	25 bales tobacco.....	*451.15		Do.
	Lewis Sylvester & Co.....	70 bales tobacco.....	*2,651.25		Exported.
	Jose Melendez & Co.....	2 casks tobacco.....			Do.
	Muller, Bull & Knowlton.....	70 bags ginger root.....	*625.75		Goods warehoused.
	J. W. Roche.....	3 casks bay rum.....	54.15	Nov. 8, 1899	
	J. L. Minosi.....	84 boxes guava.....	116.40	Nov. 6, 1899	
	H. W. Peabody & Co.....	386 hides.....	1.75	Nov. 20, 1899	
	Guban and Pan-American Ex. Co.....	1 package sweets.....			Goods warehoused.
	Levi Blumenthal & Co.....	330 bales tobacco.....			Free.
	B. Lowenstein & Bros.....	53 packages old brass and copper.....			In warehouse unclaimed.
	Graham, Hinkley & Co.....	13 bags ginger root.....			Free.
	R. Fabien & Co.....	49 bags crude ginger.....			Do.
	J. Menendez & Co.....	20 bags crude ginger.....			Do.
	do.....	2 boxes beeswax.....			Do.
	do.....	2 tierces old copper.....			Do.
	do.....	2 tierces old copper.....			Do.
	J. Sala.....	35 bags crude ginger.....			Do.
	Guban and Pan-American Ex. Co.....	1 package oranges.....			Free; American goods returned.
	H. B. Clafin & Co.....	2 cases cottons.....			Free.
	H. W. Peabody & Co.....	1 box gold dust.....			Free; American goods returned.
	Greeninglen Bros. & Co.....	1 bundle goatskins.....			Do.
	F. H. Griswald.....	174 barrels empty beer bottles.....			Do.
	do.....	121 barrels empty beer bottles.....			Do.
	A. S. Lascelles & Co.....	269 barrels empty beer bottles.....			Do.
	H. W. Peabody & Co.....	1 box dynamo.....	151.35	Dec. 12, 1899	
	do.....	157 hides.....	82.65	Dec. 27, 1899	
	do.....	271 hides.....	2.50	Jan. 11, 1900	
	Guban and Pan-American Ex. Co.....	1 package musical instruments.....	.90	Feb. 2, 1900	
	H. H. Bender.....	1 box presents.....			Immediate transportation.
	Heiz Bros.....	342 bales tobacco.....	*12,393.85		Goods warehoused.
	J. H. Gooden.....	67 bales tobacco.....	*2,581.95		Do.
	Lewis Sylvester & Son.....	107 bales tobacco.....	*3,617.00		Do.
	Kennedy & Alford.....	10 bales tobacco.....	*365.65		Free.
	M. A. Benner.....	50 barrels pineapple slips.....			Do.
	J. E. Combs.....	2 packages coffee.....			Do.
	J. Melendez & Co.....	12 sacks ginger root.....			Free; American goods returned.
	Pabst Brewing Co.....	15 empty beer kegs.....			Do.
	H. W. Peabody & Co.....	997 hides.....	80.55	Dec. 6, 1899	

— Limited.

Continued of imports from Porto Rico into the port of New York from February 1, 1892, to April 1, 1900—Continued.

Month.	Year.	Importer.	Description of goods.	Duties.	Dates of payments.	Remarks.
1892.						
Feb. 22	Mar.	Griffenbogen Bros.	28 packages sundries.			Free; American goods returned.
		M. J. Levy.	66 barrels empty bottles.			Do.
		L. Blumenthal & Co.	10 packages tobacco.			Exported.
Feb. 13		Unknown.	1 packages tobacco.			In warehouse, unclaimed.
		The American Tobacco Co.	5 packages tobacco.			Free; American goods returned.
		C. B. Roush.	40 packages tobacco.	\$192.50	Feb. 21, 1900	
Mar. 2		Express Co., General.	1 package jelly.	.35	Mar. 9, 1900	
Mar. 11		S. B. Downes & Co.	3 packages fruit.	1.42	Mar. 11, 1900	
		H. W. Penbody & Co.	125 hides.	* 67.20		Goods warehoused.
		H. W. Penbody & Co.	7 packages old copper and metal.			Free.
		H. W. Penbody & Co.	1 package gold dust.			Do.
		Marcus Mason & Co.	2 packages coffee.			Exported.
Mar. 1		L. R. Blumenthal & Co.	1 package cigars.			
Mar. 15		W. A. Avis & Co.	16 packages molasses.	64.35	Mar. 6, 1900	
		J. H. Starin.	1 package curries.	9.00	Mar. 13, 1900	
		Harburger & Sack.	1 packages straw hats.	111.10	Mar. 26, 1900	
Mar. 17		L. Blumenthal & Co.	75 packages tobacco.	* 2,581.05		Goods warehoused.
		do.	369 packages tobacco.			Exported.
		W. E. Phillips & Son.	8 packages ginger.			Immediate transportation.
		Express Co., General.	1 package effects.			Still in sample office.
		Melchior, Armstrong & Dessau.	1 package samples.			In warehouse unclaimed.
		De Ford & Co.	13 packages tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes.			
		Cuban and Pan American Ex. Co.	2 packages express matter.			Do.
Mar. 15	Ponce	G. W. Sheldon & Co.	2 packages cigars.			Immediate transportation.
		J. H. Starin.	20 packages molasses.			Do.
		J. H. Starin.	1 package cigars.			In warehouse unclaimed.
Mar. 3	Arthur V. S. Woodruff.	J. Mendez & Co.	301 packages molasses.	* 1,207.17		Goods warehoused.
		R. W. Tussig & Co.				

* Estimated.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 6, 1900.

SIR: Complying with the request contained in Department's letter of the 4th instant, for the names of persons, firms, and corporations who have paid customs duties on goods and articles of every description which have entered this port from Porto Rico since the treaty with Spain, with the articles and amounts paid by each and dates of such payments, I have the honor to inclose herewith a statement of the importations at this port from Porto Rico from April 11, 1899, to April 1, 1900, giving in detail the names of the importers, amounts of duties paid by each, and the dates of payments.

Respectfully,

L. G. MARTIN,
Special Deputy Collector.

The SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.
Washington, D. C.

Statement showing importations from Porto Rico on which duties were paid at the port of Philadelphia from April 11, 1899, to April 1, 1900, the names of importers, amounts of duty paid by each, and the dates of payment.

Importer.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty.	Date of payment.
					1899.
J. R. Tunis.....	Manufactures of metal.....	.....	\$3.00	\$1.35	Mar. 30
The Porto Rico Co.....	Mineral water.....gallons.....	40	2.00	9.60	July 3
Do.....	Bottles.....pounds.....	48	3.00	1.20	Do.
E. C. Alsop.....	Walking canes.....	.....	3.00	1.20	July 18
Do.....	Musical instruments.....	.....	2.00	.90	July 18
Do.....	Manufactures of wood.....	.....	10.00	3.50	July 18
Do.....	Swords.....	.....	4.00	1.40	July 18
Do.....	Rifles.....	.....	16.00	4.00	July 18
D. A. De Lima & Co.....	Sugar.....pounds.....	940,022	19,745.00	13,489.24	July 20 1900.
The Matanzas Tobacco Co...	Tobacco (samples)...do....	213	.....	5.20	Jan. 17
Do.....	do.....do.....	105	17.00	36.75	Feb. 13
Do.....	do.....do.....	102	18.00	35.70	Mar. 6
				13,590.04	

NOTE.—The Matanzas Tobacco Company has in warehouse 5,010 pounds tobacco, valued at \$2,138, imported February 5, 1900, which has not yet been withdrawn for consumption.

L. G. MARTIN,
Special Deputy Collector of Customs.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS.

Baltimore, Md., April 5, 1900.

SIR: In reply to Department letter of the 4th instant, requesting the names of persons, firms, and corporations who, from time to time, have paid customs duties on goods and articles of every description which have entered the United States from Porto Rico since the

treaty with Spain, with the articles and amounts paid by each, and the dates of such payments, I have the honor to report as follows:

Importer.	Merchandise.	Duty paid.	Date paid.
			1899.
Walter West	Wooden canes.....	\$0.40	Mar. 13
Wm. Frederick	do	1.20	July 11
Do	Silk parasols.....	6.50	July 11
Brigham Hopkins Co.....	Straw hats.....	.50	Nov. 10
Baltimore Leaf Tobacco Co.....	Filler tobacco	80.50	Mar. 17
Do	do	35.18	Apr. 4
Do	do	231.00	Apr. 11
Do	do	70.00	May 24
Do	do	12.73	May 26
Do	do	44.63	Aug. 1
		482.64	

The Baltimore Leaf Tobacco Company have remaining in warehouse 49 bales of filler tobacco on which the duty is \$2,157.57.

Respectfully, yours,

WM. F. STONE, *Collector.*

The SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,
Washington, D. C.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS.

New Orleans, La., April 7, 1900.

SIR: In reply to Department's letter of the 4th instant, I beg to state that there have been no importations at this port from Porto Rico since the treaty with Spain.

Respectfully, yours,

A. T. WIMBERLY, *Collector.*

The SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,
Washington, D. C.

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